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TO.

Director, Reference Information Center

Chief, Wireline Competition Bureau

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FROM:

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SUBJECT:

SBC Communications Inc v FCC & USA, No. 03-4311. Filing of a Petition for

Review in the United States Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit.

DATE.

November 17, 2003

This is to advise you that on November 3, 2003, SBC Communications Inc. ("SBC") filed a Petition for Review in the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit, pursuant to 47 U.S.C. § 402(a), of the following order: Cost-Based Terminating Compensation for CMRS Providers, Interconnection Between Local Exchange Carriers and Commercial Mobile Radio Service Providers, CC Docket No. 95-185; Implementation of the Local Competition Provisions of The Telecommunications Act of 1996, CC Docket No. 96-98; and Calling Party Pays Service Offering in the Commercial Mobile Radio Services, WT Docket No. 97-207, Order, FCC 03-215 (rel. September 3, 2003).

SBC seeks review of the above-referenced FCC decision clarifying certain aspects of its reciprocal compensation rules as applied to CMRS carriers.

The Court has docketed this case as No. 03-4311. The attorney assigned to handle the litigation of this case is Laurel R. Bergold.